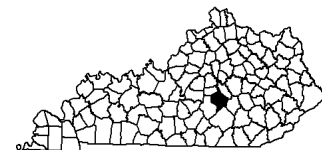




# LINCOLN COUNTY

KENTUCKY POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION PROFILE 2008-10



## General Population Data

	County	Ky	US
Total population	23,361	4,041,769	281,421,906
Median household income	\$26,542	\$33,672	\$41,994
Per capita income	\$13,602	\$18,093	\$21,587
Living in poverty	21.1 %	15.8 %	12.4 %
Eligible for Medicaid	22.9 %	17.6 %	na
Without medical insurance	15.8 %	13.3 %	14.2 %
Registered voters who voted in 2004 general election	56.0 %	64.7 %	70.9 %
Unemployment rate	7.2 %	5.7 %	4.6 %
Use the Internet at home	59.5 %	64.0 %	na

## College Readiness

	County	Ky
Average ACT score	20.4	20.6
% entering college with developmental needs in one or more subjects	48.4 %	45.9 %
% entering college with developmental needs in mathematics	40.6 %	35.4 %
% entering college with developmental needs in English	32.8 %	28.6 %

## Employment by Sector

	County	Ky
Agriculture, mining, & other natural resources	na	28,251
Manufacturing & construction	1,072	346,324
Retail, wholesale, transportation, & utilities	754	373,216
Finance, professional, & business services	na	258,647
Health & educational services	419	215,834
Government & public education	1,238	293,968
Leisure, hospitality, & other services	360	209,629

## Highest Level of Education

	County	Ky	US
Less than a high school diploma or equivalent	35.4 %	25.9 %	19.6 %
High school diploma or equivalent	40.8 %	33.6 %	28.6 %
Some college but no degree	12.4 %	18.5 %	21.0 %
Associate's degree	3.0 %	4.9 %	6.3 %
Bachelor's degree or higher	8.4 %	17.1 %	24.4 %

## Educational Pipeline

	County
High school graduates in 2006	253
In-state college-going rate for 2006 high school graduates	37.0 %
Kentucky Adult Education enrollments in 2006-07	697
GEDs awarded in 2006-07	38
Students entering postsecondary education in summer or fall 2006	212
Students earning an associate's degree in 2006-07	20
Students earning a bachelor's degree in 2006-07	67
Students earning a bachelor's degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics in 2006-07	16
Students earning a graduate or professional degree in 2006-07	17
Students enrolled in distance learning college courses in fall 2006	162
Students enrolled in Kentucky Virtual Campus courses in fall 2006	46
Bachelor's degree six-year graduation rate for 2006	29.4 %
Number of additional bachelor's degree holders needed in this county to match the national average	2,465

## Undergraduates & Alumni

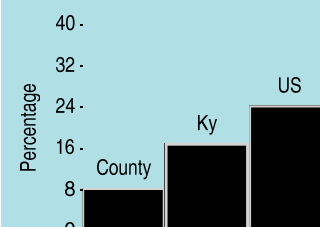
	Enrollment	Alumni
University of Kentucky	57	480
University of Louisville	2	10
Eastern Kentucky University	273	1,130
Kentucky State University	1	5
Morehead State University	14	44
Murray State University	3	7
Northern Kentucky University	1	5
Western Kentucky University	14	31
KCTCS	266	354
Independent colleges & universities	94	415
Total from this county	725	2,481

## Financial Aid to Students From This County

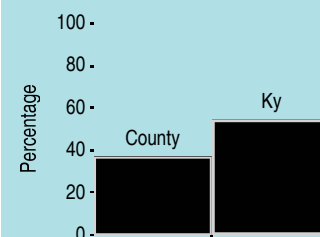
	Dollars	Awards
Federal Pell awards	\$1,145,523	450
Federal loans	\$2,393,064	436
Kentucky Ed. Excellence Scholarships (KEES)	\$412,963	302
Kentucky need-based grants	\$608,937	304

## KEY FACTS

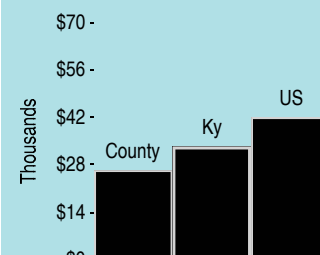
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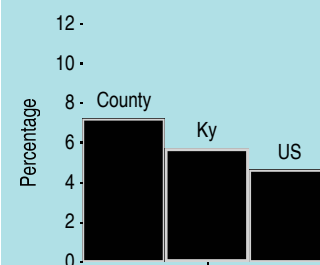
### In-State College-Going Rate



### Median Household Income



### Unemployment Rate



Sources: US Census 2000, US Department of Education, Kentucky Department of Education, Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority, Kentucky Office of Employment and Training, ACT, Inc, Kentucky State Board of Elections, Dave Leip's Atlas of U.S. Presidential Elections, US Census Small Area Health Insurance Estimates Program, Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services, ConnectKentucky, Kentucky Adult Education, and the Council on Postsecondary Education. Complete descriptions of sources and methodologies may be found in the technical notes at the end of the 2008-10 County Profiles or through the Kentucky Postsecondary Education Data Portal at the Web address below.